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# RUSHING THE WOR

Double Force of Men Em ployed on the Ships.

### NO REST ON THE SABBATH

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unterves of the country would be calleto service. It steb sent out from Washington recenstuded their over the commoned by the President to commande Virginia troops. General Lee Id, in and probability, want to lead orces to Cuba, and at he should comit the Virginia soldiers, there is not apany that would refuse to go. So (all, the Huntingsher Rifles mayo the real scene of hostilities.

Thlowing Associated Press dispates sent out from Old Font large and should be sent to the part of the country of the real scene of hostilities.

Thiowing Associated the pates sent out from Old Point last nigh "Aorning and until 2 o'clock this noon the Brooklyn, Texas and Massestis. waited for coal at to be servem. This coal had been ordered to clock yesterday afternoon whe squadron arrived here and showe been delivered by 80'clock. Tele messages seemed to have no effed if sudden orders had come the would have had to put to sea with sufficient complement of coal

with sufficient complement of coal was announced that the contracor the United States governmenliam Lamb & Company, aged Carter. Curren & Builti, of Philhia, had been busily engaged load 000 tons of coal upon the Engrume. Resulting the Company aged Carter. Curren & Builti, of Philhia, had been busily engaged load 000 tons of coal upon the Engrume Hampstead desitor St. Vincent. Cape Verde Islankers the Spanish torpedo fiolisinkers the Spanish torpedo fiolisinkers the Spanish torpedo fillia windled. Officers expressed their officers of the septed class battleship was a company and should be sufficient for United States to annul their contrib such people. When the coal larrived of the Brooklyn, Comi Schley asked if it were true that agish vessel had sailed

shipvard. A few amonths later his wife arrived from Scotlond and they took up their residence in Hampton. Both had their faults, or at least they charged each other with being faulty. The woman, according to the Scotchman's story, was found of liquor, and she, on the other heard, dileged that Patterson failed to provide her with the necessaries of life. Hence the relations were studied. Patterson does not seem to be heartbroken over his wife's departure.

P. C. Corrigan Gets a Clerkship.

Secretary of the Navy Long has, on the recommendation of Hon. George E. Bowden, appointed P. Or Corrigan (col-ored), of this city to the position of emergency clerkship in the Portsmeth navy yard. He received his appoint-ment yesterday.

Will Sue the City.

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It is understood that Mr. Z. T. Jones will shortly bring suit against the city for illegal dismissal from the police force and recovery of damages. He has retained his attorneys and will endeavor to have the case heard at the next term of the corporation court. Attorney R. M. Lett has retired from the case.

Twenty dollars for one Call on Perkins, Duncam & Co. Now is the time to invest. apr-5-2w

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Bring your tickets for S. K. to The Ideal Pharmacy, where we will give you in return a most delightful drink.

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We are not conscious of the least taint of selfishness in the attitude which we have found it necessary to assume toward Spain. In espoucing the cause of free Cuba we feel that we espouse the cause of justice and humanity; and if war comes, we shall go into it with the proud consciousness that the strength of righteousness is in our swords.

Will the centleman who could not be suited in Clothing up the avenue kindly call at our store Saturday.

WOODWARD & WOMBLE, apr 14-tf.

Sir Thomas Smith, the physician who was recently called in to see Mr. Glad-stone, was one of the most popular men at St. Batholomew's Hospital, and is invariably spoken of as "Sir Tom."

In spite of his sixty-eight years.
Count Tolstol is a man of great physical vigor. During the winter just passed, he was frequently seen on skates.

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PEOPLE IN GENERAL.

Krupp uses 1,00,000 tons of steel annually.

'Free Cuba'' Its Shibbolett for Four Days.

# TURPIE RESOLUTION

Passed by a Vote of 51 to 37.

## FOREIGN POWERS DEFIED

our own borders, have shocked the moral sense of the people of the United States, have been a disgrace to Christian civilization, cuminanting as they have in the destruction of a United States in the destruction of a United States battlesha, with own hundred and sixty-six of its officers and crew, while of a driendly visit in the harbor of Havana, and cannor longer be endured, as set forth by the President of the United States in his message to Congress of April II, 1838, upon which the action of Congress was invited. Therefore, Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled:

First, that the people of the Island of Cuba are and of right ough to be, free and independent and that the government of the United States thereby recognizes the republic of Cuba as the rine and lawful government of that island.

Second, that it is the duty of the United States to demand and the government of the United States does hereby demand that the government of the United States does hereby demand that the government of Spain at once relinquish its authority and government in the Island of Cuba and withdraw its land and mayal forces from Cuba and Cuban waters.

Third, that the President of the United States be, and hereby is, directed and empowered to use the entire land and mayal forces of the United States hereby disclaim any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignly, jurisdiction or control over said island, except for the pecification thereof, and assert their determination when that is accomplyished, to leave the government and control of the island to its people.

Mr. Cannon, of Utah, opened the debate this morning. He spoke for sharp

actuated them in then strosserty.

Mr. Elkins, of West Virginia, said it was plain war was inevitable and could not be avoided. This feeling for war was so strong that some could not wait over Sunday. His reasons in opposition to recognition briefly stated

The other Senator from Florida, Mr. Mallory, had, he said, refrained from any criticism of the executive because the entire question, until he referred it to Congress, had been in his control. None desired war if that calamity could be avoided and he regretted that the President had suspended diplomatic negotiations, for through them war might have been averted.

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Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, read a number of autograph letters from Cuban military commanders, showing the high patriotism which actuated them in their struggle for lib-

were the insurgents had not wen their independence as nations seeking recognition always have; the insurgents had not wen their independence as nations seeking recognition always have; the insurgent government is by its constitution only temperary, and such recognition was contrary to American doctrine for a lundred years."

Mr. Clay, of Georgia, said he was anxious to see the question adjusted without war, for the people of the South did not want war, but as war was now inevitable he believed in making it upon the heat resolutions offered. These, he thought, were those submitted by the minority. He sharply criticized the House resolution because it conferred too great power upon the President.

Mr. Pritchard, of North Carolina,

Shield Torn from a U. S. Consulate.

DISTURBANCE QUELLED.

and it was made manifest that many senators considered that there was a possibility that the House would concur with the Senate resolution if this motion were not entered in the Senate. Then this suggestion Mr. Davis withdrew his motion and in its stead entered a motion to adjourn.

At 2.75 F. M. the Senate adjourned until Monday.

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WASHINGTON, April 16.—At the opening session of the Flouse today General Wheeler (Democrat), of Alabama, made a personal explanation in connection with some criticism of a letter the held written to Governor Johnson, of Alabama.

Some uffusportant minor bills were passed by unanimous consent. Mr. Daigney, at 1:35 P. Mr. moved that the House adjourn.

Mr. Belley suggested the advisability of a recess until 10 o'clock tonight to motion of Mr. Dingley, he yielded, but motified his motion to make it a recess until 10 o'clock Monday morning. At 1.40 P. M. the recess was taken.

At the Opera House Last Night.

BIG LINERS ON THE WAY.
SOUTHAMPTON. A pril 16.—The
American liner St. Louis sailed for
New York on her regular trip today.
The New York sailed this afternoon in
response to urgent telegram.

ARMY MOVEMENTS

CHEYENNE, April 16.—The Eighth infaniry started for New Orleans this morning.

DENVER, April 16.—Sergeants Baldwin, Myers and Burnett, of the signal corps department, Colorado, started for New Orleans today. They will form war balloon corps for use in the defease of New Orleans.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., April 16.— Under Colonel Hawkins the Twentieth

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